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APPLICANT: Laddie L. James TITLE: Improved Tack Spraying Apparatus

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

The Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
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P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition and fee for an extension of time for a total of one (1) month to respond to the office action mailed on June 3, 2003, reopening prosecution. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested, namely a supplementary appellate brief and a request to reinstate the appeal, is filed herewith. If any additional extension of time is required, please consider this a request therefor.

Applicant is a small entity. Therefore, the total fee for this one (1) month extension is \$55.00. Included herewith is a check payable to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the fee for this extension of time. Please charge any additional amounts required under this petition to Account No. 18-2210, if necessary.

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